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VIA: ALM SPECIFY AIR OR BEA POUCH DISPATCH NO. DATE:\_ 5 January 1951 : Chief, Foreign Division X : Chief of Station, Karlsmhe Chief FROM Operational Biographical Data on Ernst WORK SPECIFIC-1 MGK-V-6489; MGL-A-4565 REF 1. The request in MGK-W-G489 for additional data on ACKENHANN is 7. Subject is the other/man named in para. 3 of this being met by C reference. 2. The following account is nearly worthless. The original Lebenslanf passed through the hands of 39/1, 39, and 30 a. probably becoming more dilrted at each step. At present, however, it represents the best that we can do. Then circumstances permit, we'll dig for added data which has more bearing on your request. Please note that name traces were already requested in MCL-A-4565. near Varnadorf (CSR) After completion of basic and commercial schooling he took a connercial Job in the CSR and other south-eastern countries. He was thus employed until 1945. Because of an old malady affecting his legs, he did not serve with either the Czech or the German army. He was held prisoner by the Ressians from May to October 1945 and was released on the latter date because of illness. Since that time he has been engaged in commercial activity in Germany. Subject was politically inactive. He became a nominal member of the Sudeten German Party in 1934. In 1938 he was entocatically registered as an applicant for BSDAP membership. In 1941, wpon applying for permission to travel abroad, he was assigned to wapaid work in the economics division of the SD. DIST: - PDH - 005

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